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Art Unit 2833IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claim 1. (Currently amended) A glass-metal leadthrough forming a plug connector, comprising:

two metal pins disposed parallel to one other;

a glass stopper having first and second sides, wherein said [two] metal pins are sealed in said glass stopper so as to project out from said first and second sides of said glass stopper;

a metal sleeve[, prepared by cutting a metallic tube,] surrounding said glass stopper; and

a cover piece[, prepared by stamping,] sealed in said glass stopper at [arranged on] said first side of said glass stopper so as to surround one of said two pins in a conductive manner, said cover piece being connected in a conductive manner with said metal sleeve, wherein said cover piece is without conductive connection with the other one of said two pins[, and wherein said two pins at the side of the cover piece project over a further distance than at the side of the glass stopper opposite to the cover piece].

Claim 2. (Original) The glass-metal-leadthrough according to claim 1, wherein said cover piece is flush with said first side of said glass stopper.